

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 19 April 66 20/0110Z	2. LOCATION Wappingers Falls, New York (1 Witness)
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Astro (METEOR) ✓ <i>zht</i>
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 Seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object was circular. Size of a pea held at arms length. Appeared to be a white light. What first called the attention was that she was watching because she had seen the same thing at intervals since 31 Mar 66. Object disappeared into the trees and appeared to dive at 45 deg angle into ground.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE Descended	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS 4603D AIR BASE GROUP (ADC)
STEWART AIR FORCE BASE, NEW YORK 12550



REPLY TO
ATTN OF:

4603ODC

27 April 1966

SUBJECT:


UFO Sighting

TO:

Hq AFSC (TDEW)

The attached report is submitted in accordance with para 13b, Change A to AFR 200-2.

FOR THE COMMANDER


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Chief, Operations & Training Division

1 Atch
UFO Report w/atc

A. Description of Object:

1. Shape: Circular
2. Size: Size of a pea held at arm's length
3. Color: White
4. Number: One
5. N/A
6. N/A
7. N/A
8. N/A
9. Other features: Appeared to be white light

B. Description of Course of Object:

1. What first called attention of observer to the object: Observer was watching because she had seen the same thing at intervals since 31 Mar 66.
2. Angle or elevation and azimuth of object when first observed: 45° above the horizon to the Northeast.
3. Angle or elevation and azimuth of object upon disappearance: Disappeared into the trees.
4. Description of flight path: Appeared to dive at 45° angle into ground.
5. How did the object disappear: Disappeared below the horizon.
6. How long was the object visible: 3 seconds.

C. Manner of Observation:

1. Ground - visual.
2. N/A
3. N/A

Astro (meteor)

D. Time and Date of Sighting:

1. 0110Z on 20 April 1966. (2010L, 19 Apr 66).

2. Light conditions: Night.

E. Location of Observer: Two miles Southeast of Wappingers Falls, NY

F. Identifying Information on Observer:

1. Civilian - Mrs. [REDACTED]
Age: 31
Address: [REDACTED], Wappingers Falls, NY
Occupation: Housewife
Telephone: [REDACTED]
Reliability: Fair

G. Weather and Winds Aloft:

1. Dark, no stars visible.

2. Winds:

Surface	060/10
6,000'	050/05
10,000'	310/10
16,000'	320/50
20,000'	310/75
30,000'	320/90
50,000'	290/35
80,000'	N/A

3. Ceiling: N/A

4. Visibility: 20 miles

5. Cloud cover: scattered clouds at 10,000'.

6. N/A

7. Vertical Temp Gradient: Slight temperature inversion from 12,000 to 14,000 feet.

Leucis
alba
(Corymb.)

Hopwell Rd

H. N/A

I. N/A

J. N/A

K. Position, Title and Comments of Preparing Officer:

Lt. T. S. Waller
NAV/EWO
4713th Def Sys Eval Sq
Stewart AFB, NY

I feel that aircraft might possibly account for some of these sightings, but certainly not all.

Mrs. [REDACTED] reports having seen many UFO's every night, except 2 or 3, since 31 March 1966. The objects appear to be red lights and follow a smooth flight path when changing altitudes. They fly at various altitudes and follow various flight paths, appearing in all quadrants from the observers home; several flying in the same area simultaneously but not in formation.

On the evening of 25 April at approximately 2130L, Mrs. [REDACTED] went up the hill behind her house to a point 1/2 mile, straight-line distance, from her home and observed one of these objects at a distance of 150 feet. Attached is the observer's sketch of the object seen and another drawing of the general area showing the locations of four other objects seen simultaneously. The object which she saw on 25 April 1966 was about the size of a Volkswagon car at the 150 foot range.

L. Physical Evidence: Attached are two drawings made by the observer of the object seen at close range on the night of 25 April and of the location of this and four other objects seen simultaneously and their positions relative to the observer.